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Viewing cable 09NEWDELHI381, FS MENON CALLS IN CHARGE ON SITUATION IN BANGLADESH

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Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
09NEWDELHI381	2009-03-02 11:46 2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy New Delhi	

Appears in these articles:

<http://www.thehindu.com/news/the-india-cables/article1574326.ece>

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SUBJECT: FS MENON CALLS IN CHARGE ON SITUATION IN BANGLADESH

REF: DHAKA 207

Classified By: Charge d'Affaires Steven White. Reasons: 1.4(B, D).

[¶1.](#) (C) Summary: Charge was called in by Foreign Secretary Menon on Saturday, February 28, to hear GOI concerns about the situation in Bangl

[¶2.](#) (C) Menon called in Charge for an unusual Saturday meeting on the evolving situation in Bangladesh. Apologizing for the short notice, Me

[¶3.](#) (C) In Menon's view, Sheikh Hasina's government had taken the right steps in ending the revolt and the GOI was pleased that opposition le

[¶4.](#) (C) Menon also said the GOI was concerned that the Jamaat-e-Islami would take advantage of the instability to "fish in troubled waters."

[¶5.](#) (C) Menon reviewed India's diplomatic efforts so far, noting that the GOI had been in touch with London, Beijing and Tokyo about the situ

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